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TECHNICAL SCHOOLS -- Peiping, Kuang-ming Jih-pao, 15 Jul 53

The Central-South Administrative Area has started the reorganization of its higher educational system to meet the personnel requirements of industrial construction. The reorganization plan calls for the establishment of a Central China Engineering College, and a Central-South China Engineering and Construction College, which together with Central-South Mining College, the Wuhan River Transportation and Water Conservancy College, and the South China Engineering College gives the area six engineering colleges offering 48 specialized courses in various fields.

Peiping, Kuang-ming Jih-pao, 15 Jul 53

New dormitories are being planned for the following schools: Chungking Iron and Steel Technical School, Chungking Electrical Technical School, Chungking Iron Refining Technical School, Chungking Geology School, Chungking Posts and Telegraph School, Chungking Highway School, Chungking Water Conservation School, and the Chungking Engineering Construction School.

INDUSTRIAL EDUCATION -- Peiping, Kuang-ming Jih-pao, 15 Jul 53

The Industrial Education Office of the Ministry of Heavy Industry, Central People's Government, has outlined its experiences in the setting up of special equipment in the middle technical schools.

PEIPING SCHOOL REGISTRATION -- Peiping, Kuang-ming Jih-pao, 15 Jul 53

Registration in 78 middle schools, middle technical schools, and normal schools of Peiping will take place 18-20 July. Examinations for entrance to the above schools will be held 22-23 July. Examinations for middle technical schools and normal schools will be in the following subjects: Chinese language, government, mathematics, physics, chemistry, history, and geography.

PRACTICE TEACHING -- Peiping, Kuang-ming Jih-pao, 4 Jul 53

More than 1,000 students and class leaders in 24 courses including regular courses, special courses, and advanced teaching courses of the Peiping Normal University have finished practice teaching in 31 schools including kindergartens, elementary schools, middle schools, and normal schools of Peiping, and the Co-educational Normal School of T'ung Hsien, Hopeh.

AGRICULTURAL MIDDLE SCHOOL -- Peiping, Kuang-ming Jih-pao, 25 Jul 53

The Agricultural School affiliated with the People's University has graduated its first class.

STATISTICAL CONFERENCE -- Peiping, Kuang-ming Jih-pao, 4 Jul 53

The Middle and Normal School Statistical Work Conference sponsored by the Peiping Education Office reported the following accomplishments: leading comrades in schools recognize the importance of statistical work, increased leadership in school statistical work, and greater respect among educational workers for the need of periodic and accurate statistical reports.

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MINORITY NATIONALITY EDUCATION -- Peiping, Kuang-ming Jih-pao, 4 Jul 53

By 1953, the Tibetan minority schools established in 1951, had educated more than 2,500 Tibetans, Uighurs, Hui, Han, Hsi-fan, and other minority cadres.

CRITICISM OF SCHOOLS AND TEACHERS -- Peiping, Kuang-ming Jih-pao, 2 Jul 53

A letter to the editor criticised elementary schools in the hsiangs and ts'uns of Ju-nan Hsien, Honan, for their poor quality of teaching, poor attendance, the low education achievements by students, and the lack of student interest in their studies.

Peiping, Kuang-ming Jih-pao, 2 Jul 53

Cadres of Ch'in-kang Hsien, Heilungkiang, sneer at the poor quality of elementary schoolteachers whom they accuse of laxity and indifference to their work.

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